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REBEL BANDS WIPED OUT

INSURGENTS IN MACEDONIA SAID TO HAVE BEEN ANNIHILATED.

Artillery Used by Turks to Rout the Rebels from Mountain Strongholds—Many Refugees.

MONASTIR, Oct. 12. Via Salonica, Macedonia, Oct. 12.—The district is quiet. The insurgents have been routed and practically annihilated in the Peristive mountains, though their stronghold is still the meeting place of what insurgents remain in the region. Chakaloff, the insurgent leader, is still at large in the Kastoria district, but most of the persons who accompanied him have surrendered. The inspector general, Hilmi Pasha, in concert with the mixed commission, is arranging to rebuild the homes which were destroyed, out of government funds. The reconstruction is proceeding, however, under numerous difficulties.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Oct. 12.—A band of twenty insurgents caught near the frontier by Bulgarian troops, was sent to Sofia yesterday. The passage of hands across the frontier has become increasingly difficult, owing to the precautions of the government and the increase in the number of frontier guards.

Gen. Miles Commended.

GETTYSBURG, Pa., Oct. 12.—At the meeting of the Medal of Honor Union States Army convention here today Gen. D. E. Sickles, of New York, presiding, a resolution commending Major General Miles as a brave soldier was passed on an appeal from the decision of the chair that it did not belong to the affairs of the association.

NET OF TRACTION LINES

IT IS TO BE SPUN WITH SOUTH BEND AS A CENTER.

George F. McCulloch Said to Be at the Head of a Vast New Project of Electric Road Extension.

PLANS FOR ANOTHER SYSTEM

PROMOTER OF APPEYARD LINES EXPLAINS THEM AT RICHMOND.

Double-Track Road with Freight Trains, Parlor Cars and Sleepers—Great Outlay Projected.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 12.—South Bend is to be the hub of a perfect network of electric railways. A project is now on foot to bring about such a condition of affairs and interurban cars will be running from South Bend in all directions within the next few years. The scheme is fostered by George F. McCulloch, president of Indiana Union Traction Lines. It includes the merger of the Indiana Railway Company, the South Bend & Southern Michigan Railway Company, the Indiana Western Railway Company and probably the Chicago & Indiana Air-Line Railway Company, with a line which McCulloch proposes to build from Peru to South Bend.

Before beginning work on the Peru and South Bend line the Indianapolis man wants to secure control of the electric lines leading out of the city. As soon as he can accomplish his purpose the South Bend & Southern Michigan Railway Company will be extended to St. Joseph and Benton Harbor, Mich., and the Indiana Western Railway will be built from South Bend to Michigan, via Carlisle and Hudson Lake. At the same time these roads are being extended and built, work will be pushed on the proposed line between South Bend and Peru. The latter line will include a branch road from Peru to Logansport, Ind. The distance between Peru, Ind., and St. Joseph, Mich., is 10 miles.

The route selected includes stations at Rockville, Ellettsville, Laporte, Ellettsville, Lakeville. The Logansport branch will be fifteen miles long. The Peru branch will be carried out South Bend will be able to go to Indianapolis in electric cars, as an announcement has been made that the Indianapolis Northern Railway, connecting Indianapolis and Logansport, will be in operation on Jan. 1.

SEEKING A RIGHT OF WAY.

Representative of Appleyard Traction Line Visits Richmond.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RICHMOND, Ind., Oct. 12.—C. N. Wilson, who is promoting the Appleyard traction line from Columbus, Ind., to Richmond, was here today with other men interested in the project. Mr. Wilson promises to have in operation within two years one of the finest electric lines that can be found anywhere. The right of way from Connersville to Columbus has been secured and is verbally promised ten miles this side of Connersville. The company asks for no subsidies, but merely wants a free right of way.

A conference was held at Connersville this afternoon with regard to securing the right of way over the Commons road. It is not definitely settled how the road will enter Richmond, but it is thought the terminus will be west of the Whitewater river, the bridge being transferred to the city lines. The line will handle freight by contract, Mr. Wilson says, and now has orders for 10,000 carloads in black and white. The system will be a double-track, with a single-track, stone ballast and metal trolley poles. The equipment will consist of sixty-ton electric engines, haulers from ten to twenty cars at the rate of fifteen miles an hour. The company will ask the government for contracts to carry mail to eight inland towns. It will use one of the big passenger cars to be sixty-two and one-half feet long and will be speeded to seventy miles an hour. The service will be completed by Holland Palace, sleeping and dining cars. The sleepers will start from Columbus and make connections for Washington, D. C., and New York, N. Y., at Greensburg, Connersville and Richmond, making connections for Eastern cities. The company will represent an outlay of \$100,000. The shops will be located at Connersville and the power house at Greensburg.

STRIKERS' PLACES FILLED

UNION INTERVENED TO NULLIFY A WALKOUT AT MARION.

A Few Pressers Again at Work—Delegates to Employers' Convention—Intercounty Workhouse.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARION, Ind., Oct. 12.—The white liner department of the Pullman Co. and the Bottle Company is running with practically a complete force to-day, the trouble with the pressers having been in a measure settled. The condition has been peculiar, brought about by an improvement to the machine used for making tops for fruit jars. This year a cut-off on the machine was invented which does away with one worker at each machine. The national union tried to set a scale to cover the improvement, but the pressers at the Marion and Muncie fruit jar plants were not satisfied with the result. The pressers considered that their interests had not been looked after properly, and walked out, against the decision of President Rowe, of the A. F. of W. U., of which organization the pressers are a branch. It is said that Rowe ordered the pressers back to work at the same wage scale, and where they refused he placed other men, mostly gatherers, in their places as pressers.

A few pressers have returned to work in the Marion plant, and other vacancies have been filled with gatherers.

Employers' Council Delegates.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARION, Ind., Oct. 12.—At a meeting of the Employers' Council of the Marion following delegates were selected to attend the national convention to be held in Chicago Oct. 29 and 30: John McDonald, B. F. Burke, W. D. Hudson, Charles Waltz, T. J. Gould, W. H. Knapp, W. E. Garfield, George C. Harwood, F. M. Garland, R. J. Spencer, Philip Matter, H. D. Thompson, M. S. Swager, Burr Carter, J. F. Gillespie, Phil Patton, Pasco Peelle, Milton Polk, David Murphy, J. L. Barley, C. N. Martin, W. I. Dick, J. E. Emmons and P. J. Harrigan. The delegates were instructed to work in harmony with the national association and to cooperate in detail with the association headed by D. M. Parry, of Indianapolis.

TRIED TO KILL HIMSELF.

William Green, Who Had Tried to Kill His Sweetheart at Marion.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARION, Ind., Oct. 12.—William Green, who last Friday tried to murder his sweetheart, was taken to the Marion hospital for treatment.

A rose by any other name would smell as sweet and champagne—well, by Cook's Imperial.

a quantity of liniment, and taking morphine. He was found in time to save his life. Green was a paroled prisoner from the Michigan City penitentiary. He was Walker, although in a mental condition at this time, probably will recover from the murder charge.

Green was sent to the prison for a term of one to four years. Ten years of the latter term he served. He was considered best to take Green to prison to serve the unexpired term of ten years rather than the grading him at this time for attempted murder. The punishment will be just as great if he was tried and found guilty of the murder charge. He was taken to prison to be kept in the cell himself. Before retiring last evening he asked for several of the pills for a bottle of morphine. He did not have a sufficient quantity of morphine to kill, but he suffered from its use. He was taken to the prison and placed in a cell. He was found in the cell this morning, and he will serve ten years before being released.

Construction Contract Let.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARION, Ind., Oct. 12.—C. G. Young, representing J. G. White & Co., of New York, the firm which has the contract for the construction of the Northern Indiana Traction Company line between Marion and Wabash, to-day awarded the contract for the grading and the laying of the line to J. N. Beck, of Toledo. The contract stipulates that the work of grading shall be started not later than Saturday. The contractor will employ one hundred teams and four hundred men will be placed on the work. It is the intention to complete the construction of the road for high speed. The track will be level and straight.

Farmer Sandbagged Near Marion.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARION, Ind., Oct. 12.—William Carey, a dairyman living east of Marion, was seriously injured to-night by being assaulted by highwaymen as he passed through the McClellan covered bridge. Just out of Marion he was struck by a team of men with a sandbag and it is thought that his skull was fractured. He remained unconscious for several hours. A boy who was with Carey escaped from the wagon and spread the alarm. Carey had collected \$300, but is at a local hotel before leaving for home.

An Intercountry Workhouse.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARION, Ind., Oct. 12.—At the suggestion of Superintendent of Police White, of Marion, a big workhouse to accommodate prisoners of Marion, Muncie, Anderson, Elwood, Alexandria and other cities on the traction line probably will be built at the junction of the Marion and Muncie lines. It has been found that one city the size of these mentioned cities would be able to support a workhouse for prisoners, and it is believed that a joint workhouse would be a success.

Died After Long Suffering.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARION, Ind., Oct. 12.—Mrs. Estella Espiche, the bride of a few weeks of William Espiche, who took strychnine Sunday night with suicidal intent, died at 10:30 to-day. She was 35 years of age. She was a native of Marion, and was the wife of a local farmer. Mrs. Espiche's infatuation for an elixir of life was seen but once was the cause of her suicide.

BAPTISTS IN CONVENTION

HUNDREDS GATHER AT BLOOMINGTON FOR ANNUAL MEETING.

Convention Sermon by the Rev. J. N. Field—Programme for To-day Includes Sunday-School Work.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Oct. 12.—This city is to-night in the hands of the Baptists, who have assembled here in large numbers from all parts of Indiana, to attend the eleventh annual convention of their church. The first session was held in the First Baptist church to-night and addresses of welcome were made in behalf of the church, the city and Indiana university. The Rev. D. G. Dunkin spoke for the local church, President Bryan for the university and Judge J. B. Wilson in behalf of the city. The Rev. J. N. Field preached the annual sermon, and there was the reading of a few reports.

Matters are in shape for what is beginning to appear to be a most successful convention. Every incoming train brings delegates and prominent leaders from all portions of the State and by to-morrow afternoon as many as one hundred delegates and visitors are expected. All sessions of the convention are being held at the First Baptist church, although on Thursday evening the lecture by the Rev. E. H. Hahn, of Springfield, Mass., may be held at the city hall. This convention will be largely on Sunday school work. The Rev. J. W. A. Seward, of Rochester, N. Y., was speaker at the first session. As soon as the delegates arrived to-day they were met at the train by committees of the city, and were taken to their homes while in the city. Supper was served at the Christian church this evening.

TO FIGHT SUNDAY THEATER.

Anderson Ministerial Association Thinks It Has a Way.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ANDERSON, Ind., Oct. 12.—The announcement was made to-day that the Ministerial Association of Anderson had decided to join the fight against the Sunday theater in this city. The movement of A. M. Oswalt has revealed to the association members a way in which the association could win the fight. The association has decided to hold a series of meetings on Sunday afternoon, and to have a large number of ministers and laymen attend. The association has also decided to have a large number of ministers and laymen attend. The association has also decided to have a large number of ministers and laymen attend.

WOMEN MISSION WORKERS.

They Gather in Annual Session at Grace Church, Richmond.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RICHMOND, Ind., Oct. 12.—The twentieth annual meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Richmond district of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was held at Grace Church. Fifty or more delegates are in attendance. The morning session was opened with a praise service by Mrs. Elizabeth Haughton, of this city, president of the society. A number of committees were named. The reports of district officers showed that good work has been done during the past year and the work has progressed satisfactorily.

Further news of the Ziegler expedition may not be received until next summer, but when it comes it will be read with interest, for the conditions this year are such that it will not be surprising if the America is frozen in and will be compelled to spend the coming winter helplessly in the ice between Europe and Franz Josef Land.

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CONDITIONS IN ARCTIC.

Facts that Indicate Ziegler Expedition May Be Frozen In.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Those who have studied the difficulties of navigation in the Arctic are not much surprised by the tidings brought by the letter which William Ziegler has received from Anthony Fiala, commander of his polar expedition. The letter was written in Barents sea, and was a most miserable time as they drifted slowly north through the darkness of the winter. The expedition was a most miserable time as they drifted slowly north through the darkness of the winter.

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ALARMING RUMORS FROM THE FAR EAST NOT WELL FOUNDED.

Neither Russia Nor Japan Have Made a Move Looking to Opening of Hostilities.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

YOKOHAMA, Oct. 12.—All reports emanating from Shanghai of the opening of hostilities between Russia and Japan, etc., may be discredited as untrue. Russo-Japanese affairs are marking time. The second secretary of the Russian legation left Tokyo Oct. 12 with secret dispatches for the Russian viceroy of the far East, Admiral Alexeev. An important conference of veteran Japanese statesmen, including the Marquis Ito, was held at the premier's office to-day.

No Secret Agreement Between Germany and Russia—Later Power Still Transporting Troops.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 12.—The Foreign Office says it has no official confirmation of the disembarkation of Japanese troops at Ma-San-Po. Regarding Manchuria the Foreign Office states that the question is the subject of the Chinese, Japanese and British. It desires to reopen the negotiations and adopt certain conditions the situation could still be changed, as Russia is not linked to the soil and could leave it if she liked. Russia is now transporting 50,000 troops, nurses, physicians and hospital supplies to the Orient. The Japanese are reported to be 25,000 men. Officers detailed for Japan to land troops at Ma-San-Po.

that the vessel would be crushed, so the explorers built a house on the main floor, where coal, food and other supplies were stored.

Their drift north and west all through the winter of 1872-1873 and through the following summer until the last of August, when they finally saw the outlines of a bold and rocky land rising before them. Their toil and suffering had not all been in vain, for they now knew that they had added a new land to the known domains of the world. Then came the great sledge journeys of the spring of 1874, which revealed a large part of the archipelago they had discovered. The expedition, however, was never freed from the ice. She was abandoned on May 29, and the party succeeded in reaching the open sea only after a difficult journey southward to the free sea, where they fell in with Russian fishermen, who took them to the nearest port.

The Danish Meteorological Institute recently published its report on the ice conditions in the Arctic. The report states that these conditions were very unfavorable for navigation alike in Barents sea, the region of Franz Josef land and Spitzbergen, east of Greenland and Iceland. The European Arctic has had two successive bad ice years, which was very unfortunate both for the Ziegler expedition, under Mr. Baldwin last year, and for the present expedition, under Mr. Fiala.

It is indeed a fact that by some happy chance Fiala has reached Franz Josef Land this season and is able to do the full work preliminary to his proposed sledge journey to the far north next season.

SITUATION IS IMPROVING.

DISPUTE WILL BE SETTLED AMICABLY, COUNT INOYUKI SAYS.

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ASHES CAST TO THE WIND

UNUSUAL FUNERAL OF MRS. LAURA ANDERSON, NEAR MUNCIE.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 12.—One of the most unusual funeral ceremonies ever seen in this county was that of Mrs. Laura Anderson, of Oakville, this afternoon. Mrs. Anderson, who was 65 years of age, died of cancer of the stomach. She was a member of the Free Thinkers' club, and the ashes have since been kept at the family home. To-day, the anniversary of her birth, the ashes were scattered over a favorite rosebush in the front yard. This was according to the last request of Mrs. Anderson. The scattering of the ashes was accompanied with appropriate services.

Trouble Over the Scale in the Ball Brothers' Factory—No More Gas Meters in Muncie Parlors.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 12.—All day yesterday and to-day the whiteners employed in Ball Brothers' glass factory have been in session, but no agreement as to returning to work has been reached. When Securing Dobbins, of the American Flint Glass Workers' Union, the city last week he expressed himself as being much satisfied with the settlement of the wage scale for the coming year. He had signed a ratification of the scale of last year with Ball Brothers, but the local unions have refused to return to work under the old scale. The installation of machines to do away with one-half of the working force is the cause of the trouble. The men claim that the machines are slower than hand labor and that the amount of work produced will necessarily be smaller. As the men are not willing to accept the new scale, the total of their wages. A few of the whiteners are willing to go to work under the majority of them will not accept the scale.

Germany's Naval Programme.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—The German naval estimates for 1904 are in the hands of the finance minister. The programme will take the sixteen years' course originally outlined in 1900. The reason is an obvious one—lack of money. The government's view is that the navy should be reduced to a minimum. The programme under which by 1907 it will have fifty-five battleships, thirty-eight of them to date, with 1,500 officers and 5,800 men. But the country would not approve of largely increased burdens to carry it to a short period.

Tried to Shoot the Chevalier.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

PARIS, Oct. 12.—Helen Knowles Irish, the divorced wife of Chevalier Trezza di Musella, president of the Italian Chamber of commerce here, attempted to shoot the situation in the far East. He says his telegram indicates that there is no need whatever for alarm. He adds that the men who were in the far East were not in the far East. He adds that the men who were in the far East were not in the far East. He adds that the men who were in the far East were not in the far East.

Whaler and Crew Lost.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

FAYAL, Azores, Oct. 12.—The American Whaler Joseph Manta has been wrecked on the island of Pico, one of the Azores group, and all aboard were lost.

Charged by Cossacks.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 12.—Further serious disturbances in connection with the transfer of Armenian church property to the government occurred at Nakhichevan, on Oct. 10, when a mob broke into the church and destroyed the altar and stole the sacred vessels. The Armenian church property was being transferred to the government. The Armenian church property was being transferred to the government.

Black Bears for the Park.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 12.—Thursday two black bears will arrive in Muncie, direct from South Dakota. They are for the new park which George F. McCulloch has given to the city. The bears will be placed in the new park which George F. McCulloch has given to the city. The bears will be placed in the new park which George F. McCulloch has given to the city.

Suit Caused by Baby's Death.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 12.—Suit for \$10,000 in the Muncie Circuit Court to-day. The suit was caused by the death of a five-months-old daughter. Last May Mr. and Mrs. Hoppes were in a traction car when it was struck by a L. E. & W. train. The baby was thrown to the floor and the plaintiff claims received injuries which caused its death two months later.

Tired of Being Married.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 12.—One of the strangest divorce cases on record in the Muncie Circuit Court was brought before Judge Lefter this afternoon. Mrs. Quissie

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Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

Price was in court asking for a divorce from her husband, Fred G. Price. On the stand she testified that they had been living together for several years only and that they left their home to come to the court room together. They desired to be separated as they were not getting along. Judge Lefter refused to grant the divorce and gave the couple a severe lecture.

Friday Was a Hoodoo to Him.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 12.—"Yo' Hoodoo, I see refuse to be tried at all 'fo' you' hon' to try me on Friday. That am an unlucky day for this nigh'." This was the statement which William Baugh, a colored porter of the Kirby House, made to Judge Lefter this morning when arraigned for larceny. Baugh had stolen a wheel of a traveling man. Judge Lefter agreed not to put the trial on Friday.

CLUB WOMEN OF INDIANA

THEY WILL GATHER IN ANNUAL SESSION AT LOGANSPORT TO-NIGHT.

Brilliant Reception and an Address by Mrs. Hennotin, of Chicago—Other Sessions of the Meeting.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Oct. 12.—The federated club women of Logansport are fully prepared to receive the annual convention of the Indiana Federation of Women's clubs which will be held in the First Presbyterian church in this city, beginning Wednesday evening, and continuing through Friday. There are now fifty-one federated clubs in the State and each is entitled to two delegates. In addition to the delegates a number of visitors are expected and the local women are prepared to entertain them all.

IN HANDS OF THE JURY

CASE OF NATHAN RANKIN FOR THE MURDER OF KOOKSMAN.

Prosecution Puts a Former Jury on the Stand—Plea of the Defense for Judicial Clemency.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LAFORTE, Ind., Oct. 12.—The Rankin murder case went to the jury to-night. Judge Richter holding a session of the Circuit Court this evening in order that the trial might not be carried over until to-morrow. Prosecutor Clarke surprised the defense this morning when he asked for a continuance of the case until to-morrow. The defense made every effort to keep this statement from going before the jury, but in vain. The defense made no witnesses except to place Prosecutor Clarke on the stand and by him prove that Rankin had testified for the prosecution at the three previous trials and that he had materially aided in securing the conviction of Boone Mallory. The principals in the murder, and was therefore entitled to leniency. The attorneys for the defense made a statement to the jury that the case was a plea of insanity was made and the claim made that Prosecutor Clarke had promised Rankin he would let him off easily, the same plea being made still stronger to-night in the arguments of Lawyers McIntire and Wurser in the case.

Evansville Rioter Sentenced.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 12.—Reuben Key, a negro, was found guilty of rioting in the